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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, UNIDO, IN

SUBJECT: UNIDO INDIA SPONGE IRON PLANT

REF: A. STATE 230295; B. NEW DELHI 14241

1. FOLLOWING POINTS WHICH EMERGED IN FURTHER DISCUSSION OF SUBJECT PROJECT WITH NIJHAWAN YESTERDAY MAY BE USEFUL ADDITION TO INFO CONTAINED REF B.

2. NIJHAWAN REITERATED THAT INVITATIONS TO BID WILL BE ISSUED ONLY AFTER DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY CHIEF TECHNICAL ADVISER OF PROJECT. ACCORDING TO NIJHAWAN THIS POST STILL UNDER RECRUITMENT. NOTING IMPORTANCE OF POST IN TERMS OF FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF PROJECT, HE AGAIN EXPRESSED DESIRE TO RECEIVE SUBMISSIONS OF AMERICAN CANDIDATES. WE INDICATED WE STILL HOPING RECEIVE NOMINATIONS IN RESPONSE TO OUR TRANSMITTAL OF JOB DESCRIPTION TO WASHINGTON (VIENNA 8341).

3. RE PARA 2(A) REF A, NIJHAWAN SAID INTENTION IS TO HAVE DESIGN, ENGINEERING, CONSTRUCTION AND INITIAL RUNNING-IN OF PILOT PLANT COVERED IN SINGLE CONTRACT AND THAT ANY BIDDERS SHOULD BE PREPARED ADDRESS ALL UNCLASSIFIED

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THESE ASPECTS OF PROJECT. BASED ON HIS OWN PREVIOUS

CONTACTS WITH US FIRMS NIJHAWAN CITED PENNSYLVANIA  
ENGINEERING COMPANY, KOPPERS AND DENVER CORPORATION  
AS EXAMPLES OF US FIRMS HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE SUBMIT  
BIDS.STIBRAVY

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